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Windrow's
Store News

NIGHT THAT FILM
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You feel that coat clinging to
teeth, it is the basis of tartar.
Food to ferment, forms ac-
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make to the High School or
graduates is an
EVERSHARP PENCIL.

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they can find use for it every
and it will be highly appre-
ciated. From \$1.00 to \$5.00 each

patronage is appreciated.

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in business for your health.

Tel. 124

Chamber of Commerce Meeting.

May 7th—A district meet-
ing of the West Texas Chamber of
Commerce has been called for May
10 a.m. in the district court
at Kerrville.

prominent speakers have
taken part on the program and
line for discussion of many busi-
ness matters has been arranged. A
number of questions to be discussed
are highway, railroad extension, bet-
ter stock and dairying and the re-
vision or amendment of the "Truck
law."

those that have signified
intention of being present are:
Louis J. Wortham, T. O. Wal-
ton Cain, W. V. Crawford, Pres.
W. B. Jones and Porter Whaley.
Town is requested to send a
delegation.

J. C. WELLS,
Dist. Mgr. West Texas C.C.

Clevenger's Great Pitching Beats Pearsall.

For the second time in a row Big
"Slim" Clevenger pitched our boys to
victory against the strong Pearsall team. It was a great day for every-
body including Oscar Miller who had
to reinforce his hat to hold the many
quarters he collected.

The town turned out in a mass and
the boys immediately began showing
them why they deserve their support.

They got right to work and scored
two runs in the first inning when
Starnes hit by a pitched ball and
Sham Hollaway made one of his fam-
ous home runs. It was a tremendous
drive and started everyone roaring
with delight.

We made two more in the second
and one more in the third and called it
a day's work. Although it was enough
to win the game, we barely pulled
thru.

Pearsall fought gamely and scored
one in the fourth and three in the
eighth due to some loose fielding but
Big "Slim" tightened up and held
them safe. He pitched wonderful ball
and deserves all credit due him. He
was invincible in the pinches and when
a hit meant a run, held the evening in
check and pulled thru safely. He
struck out eleven men and not one
reached first on a base on balls.

Here's hoping he keeps up the good
work and helps to put our team on
the top, where it belongs.

THE GAME BY INNINGS.

FIRST INNING:
Pearsall—Kraft struck out. Shelton
popped to Taylor. Little grounded
out. Beal to Taylor. No runs. No
hits.

Hondo—Starnes was hit by a pitched
ball. Taylor sacrificed him to second.
Hollaway hit the first ball pitched for
a home run scoring Starnes ahead of
him. It was a tremendous wallop
clearing the rail by about 50 feet.
Bless doubled to centre. Clevenger
struck out. Bless out trying to steal
third. Two runs. Two hits.

SECOND INNING:
Pearsall—A. Dickson struck out.
Orr was safe on first on Taylor's error.
M. Dickson lined to Clevenger who
threw Orr out at third. Maddocks
popped to Haralson. No runs. No hits.

Hondo—Beal popped to M. Dick-
son. Haralson was hit by a pitched
ball and immediately stole second.
Windrow singled to right. Haralson
taking third. Windrow stole second.
Senuehle sacrificed Haralson. Starnes
drove one thru the box for a single,
scoring Windrow. Taylor struck out.
Two runs. Two hits.

THIRD INNING:
Pearsall—Brucks out. Clevenger to
Taylor. Lewis popped to Haralson.
Kraft and Bless to Taylor. No runs.
No hits.

Hondo—Hollaway field to centre.
Brucks making a nice catch. Bless
grounded to Orr and took second when
Orr threw wild to Lewis. Clevenger
doubled to left, scoring Bless. Beal
out, Lewis unassisted, Clevenger tak-
ing third. Haralson popped to Orr.
One run. One hit.

FOURTH INNING:
Pearsall—Shelton out. Clevenger to
Taylor. Little hit a terrific drive to
right centre for a home run. A. Dick-
son beat a hit to first and took second
on a passed ball. Orr hit safely to
left. A. Dickson taking third. M.
Dickson flied to Starnes who thru to

Beal, doubling Orr at second. One run.
Three hits.

Hondo—Windrow grounded out, Orr
to Lewis. Schuehle struck out.
Starnes got to first on Orr's error.
Taylor forced Starnes at second. No
runs. No hits.

FIFTH INNING:
Pearsall—Maddocks out. Taylor un-
assisted. Brucks reached first on
Bless' bad throw. Lewis popped to
Beal. Kraft struck out. No runs.
no hits.

Hondo—Hollaway out, Lewis un-
assisted. Bless grounded out. Kraft
reached first on Starnes' error.
Beal taking second. M. Dickson
flied to Starnes. No runs. Two hits.

Hondo—Beal was safe on Maddock's
fumble and took second on a wild
throw. Haralson struck out. Wind-
row was safe on Orr's bad throw,
Beal taking third. Windrow out stealing
second. Beal stealing home. No
runs. No hits.

SIXTH INNING:

Pearsall—Shelton doubled to left.
Little skied to Beal. A. Dickson
struck out. Orr beat out a hit to Beal.
Shelton taking second. M. Dickson
flied to Starnes. No runs. Two hits.

Hondo—Beal was safe on Maddock's
fumble and took second on a wild
throw. Haralson struck out. Wind-
row was safe on Orr's bad throw,
Beal taking third. Windrow out stealing
second. Beal stealing home. No
runs. No hits.

SEVENTH INNING:

Pearsall—Clevenger pitched great
ball and struck out Maddocks, Brucks
and Lewis in a row. No runs. No hits.

Hondo—Starnes flied to Orr. Taylor
grounded out to second. Hollaway
beat out a hit to third. Bless popped
to M. Dickson. No runs. One hit.

EIGHTH INNING:

Pearsall—Kraft shot a single to
centre and took second on a pass ball.
Schuehle made a nice catch on Shel-
ton's fly. Little doubled to right
scoring Kraft. A. Dickson struck out.
Orr singled to left scoring Little and
took second on Schuehle's fumble. M.
Dickson reached second on Taylor's
error. Orr scoring. Butler batting
for Maddocks, struck out. Two runs.
Three hits.

Hondo—Clevenger singled to centre.
Beal sacrificed him to second. Clevenger
was caught off second. Haralson
struck out. No runs. One hit.

NINTH INNING:

Pearsall—Brucks flied to centre.
Hollaway making a fine catch. Lewis
flied to centre. Kraft singled to left.
Shelton struck out. No runs. One hit.

Hondo

At Bat Hits Assists P.O. Err.

Starnes, R. F. 4 1 1 2 0

Taylor, I.B. 3 0 1 6 2

Hollaway, C.F. 4 2 0 2 0

Bless, 3B. 4 1 1 1 1

Clevenger, P. 4 2 3 0 0

Beal, S. S. 3 0 1 3 0

Haralson, 2B. 4 0 0 2 0

Windrow, C. 3 1 0 0 0

Schuehle, L. F. 3 0 0 1 1

Hondo

At Bat Hits Assists P.O. Err.

Kraft, 3B. 5 2 1 1 0

Shelton, R. F. 5 1 0 0 0

Little, L. F. 4 2 0 0 0

A. Dickson, C. 4 1 2 1 0

Orr, S. S. 4 3 1 3 3

M. Dickson, P. 4 0 5 2 0

Maddocks, 2B. 3 0 2 1 1

Brucks, C. F. 4 0 0 1 0

Lewis, I.B. 4 0 2 8 0

*Butler 2B. 1 0 0 1 0

Batted for Maddocks in 8th.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

Pearsall..... 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 3 0

Hondo 2 2 1 0 0 0 0 0

SUMMARY.

Two-base hits—Bless, Clevenger,
Shelton and Little.

Home Runs—Hollaway and Little.

Stolen Bases—Haralson and Win-
drow.

Struck out—by Dickson, 5; by Cle-
venger, 11.

Pass balls—Clevenger, 2; Dickson, 1.

Umpire—Dr. Smith.

Time of game—1 hour and 45 min.

Notice to Members of the Medina County Farm Bureau.

You are requested to be present at
the first meeting of The Medina Coun-
ty Farm Bureau, to be held in Hondo
on Saturday, May 14th, in the District
Court room at 2:30 p.m.

Speakers from The Texas Farm
Bureau will be present to explain The
Cotton Marketing Plan.

Officers of The Medina County Farm
Bureau, including the President, Vice-
President, Treasurer and four Direc-
tors will be elected.

Every member is expected to be
present.

Very truly yours,
C. M. MERRITT,
County Agent.

42. 1t pd.

MR. COW PUNCHER—If it is a
Boot you want, we've got it. C. J.
7th, 1921, to Mr. August M. Nester
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Bless.

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Bath tubs. Holloway Bros. 34.
Garden hose. Holloway Bros.
Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haas spent Monday and Tuesday in San Antonio.

BOYS—For a swell neck tie. C. J. Bless. 42-2t.

Emsley Bennett of Tarpley was a Hondo visitor Thursday.

Auto tops re-covered at Eugen Hues' 49.

Dr. J. C. Pogue and family of Uvalde spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouch.

Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.

Miss Urs Grun is here from York town, the guest of Mr. of Mrs. Henry House.

Mrs. Guillaudau of San Antonio is the guest of her son, Emmitt Guillaudau, and family.

Mrs. August Kempf returned from San Antonio last Saturday much benefited in health.

Accordian, box and knife plaiting; hemstitching and picoting; buttons and buttonholes made. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 15-tf.

Mrs. Eugene Davis has returned to her home in San Antonio after a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. R. M. Yantis.

LET CARTER CLEAN YOUR CLOTHES. PHONE 179

The Seco school, with Misses Octavia Davis and Dee Crow as teachers, closed Saturday with a picnic and barbecue on the school grounds, and the teachers returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Herman and Mr. R. J. Davis have left for their home in Altoona, Penn., after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Decker and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Huesser, Henry Frerichs, Mrs. Fritz Frerichs and brother, Henry Schuehle, were visiting Mr. Fritz Frerichs at Kerrville this week, finding Mr. Frerichs improving in health rapidly.

Jennings — for Cleaning, Pressing, Dyeing. Accordion and Box Pleating, Hemstitching and Picoting. Phone 125.

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Mrs. Martha Frerichs was taken to a hospital in San Antonio this week for an operation for appendicitis. Every one here trusts that the good lady may soon again be enjoying her normal health.



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Oil stoves. Holloway Bros.
Deyo Paint. Holloway Bros.

Next time ask for REDSKIN TUBES.

Mr. Albert Pichot was here from Uvalde Wednesday visiting relatives.

Emil E. Heyen has bought the Heyo Schwerts home.

LET me order you a Spirella Corset.

MRS. WILL McClaugherty. 42 tf.

Miss Esmeline Rogers has been the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Benton, at Rocksprings, the past couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry House returned last week-end from a several weeks visit in Yorktown.

Mrs. Kingsley Haralson left Thursday for a visit to her parents at Ozona.

Mrs. Standley Crabtree and little daughter, Verna, left Thursday for Del Rio on a visit to Mr. Crabtree.

Lawn mowers. Holloway Bros.

FOR nice, fresh Vegetables and all kinds of Fruits in season go to L. Barrientos. Little profit, quick sales and good service is our motto. Phone 132.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gaines, Miss Willis Mae and Preston, and Mr. and Roland Gaines and baby visited in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Finger spent the greater part of the week in San Antonio. Mr. Finger attending the banker's convention. Mrs. Finger visiting.

Deyo Paint. Holloway Bros.

FOR SALE—One J. I. Case Threshing machine outfit, in good condition, \$1,500.00. E. A. Heinen, Hondo, Tex. Phone 568, F 5. 38-4t.

Mr. and Mrs. Caruthers, who have made their home here for the past year, will move to Poteet where they will make their home.

FOR SALE—Red polled cows and calves for sale, from one to twenty \$600.00 per cow and calf. Good milk cows. Lee Ward, Yancey, Tex. 40-4t.

Fishing Tackle. Holloway Bros.

Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist.

Mrs. J. W. Albaugh and little daughter of Louise, after a visit of several days to Mrs. A. H. Pike, left Tuesday evening for Beaumont in response to a telegram announcing the critical illness of Mrs. Albaugh's daughter in that city.

An attack of heartburn or indigestion calls for a dose of Herbine. It relieves the distress instantly and forces the fermented food into the bowels. You feel better at once. Price 60c. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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Sheriff Bader, as the head of the party, was unanimously elected to the three most important positions in outings of this character, viz: water-carrier, fire-builder and fish-cleaner. We understand that it was owing to his duties becoming somewhat monotonous that made him insist on coming home. We understand that the remainder of the party would have been content to remain in camp all summer.

Sweeps. Holloway Bros.

TYSON-NEWTON

Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conway Tyson, Maysfield, Texas, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Miss Marguerite Tyson and Mr. Guy Newton.

The ceremony, which was witnessed by relatives and a few intimate friends was performed by Rev. C. E. Newton, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Clifton, Texas, and a brother of the groom.

Miss Lorena Ruby of Cameron played the wedding march.

Immediately after the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Newton left for Hondo, Texas, where Mr. Newton is Principal of the Hondo school.

The bride is one of Maysfield's fairest daughters and possesses the most womanly traits.

The groom is a son of the late Rev. J. K. P. Newton, who was for many years the much beloved pastor of the Mayfield Presbyterian Church, and Mrs. Newton who still lives in that little city. He is a young man worthy of his noble heritage.

Both of these young people enjoy the love and esteem of the entire community and the best wishes are entertained for their future.

Those from Cameron who attended the wedding were: Mesdames C. H. Ruby, W. A. Bonds, Misses Lorena Ruby, Jennie Tyson and Helen Mayes. Cameron Enterprise.

—Jusjilla Leaf.

Information to the effect that the well of the Medina Oil Development Co. would be "shot" at the depth of 450 feet caused quite a number of people to be on hand to witness the operation at 4:00 o'clock Monday afternoon.

They were disappointed, however, as the man engaged to "shoot" the well directed some additional work to be done before placing the charge, consequently the "shooting" was postponed until 5:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, when another crowd was present.

When the 100-pound charge of dynamite was set off and the derrick commenced dancing a jig, mud and rocks were flying upward, and Old Mother Earth was in convulsions; we understand all the sprinting records of the world were shattered by some of the spectators.

However, when things quieted down, the stamped crowd again assembled around the well and a vigorous rubbing of the hair on their heads enabled them to again get it in condition to put their hats on. No one was hurt. While it will probably be several days before the actual results of the shot will be positively known, it is the opinion of experienced oil men that the well will come in as a fair producer.

Postmaster M. A. Chancey is off on a well-earned vacation. He left Friday, in company with Mrs. Dayhoff, on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. J. W. Rollins, at Greenville, Texas. He purposed being absent about ten days.

Mr. Chancy has been closely confined since assuming the duties of postmaster, and no one begrudges him a few days respite from his arduous duties.

Not only will he enjoy his brief holiday but he will be better qualified to render more efficient service on his return. In answering his application for a few days absence the post office officials not only promptly and cheerfully granted his request but notified him he could take thirty days off if he so desired. Miss Ruth Chancey will assist in the post office during her father's absence.

H. E. Haas, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Tex. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co. Road maps of Medina County, cloth \$5, paper \$3. 15

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Examination tablets, Inks, Pencils, in fact every thing for examination work at the Fly & Mercer Drug Store.

John Reitzer of San Antonio has been out here on business the last two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haegelin paid the Anvil Herald office an appreciated call this week's end.

The base ball game next Wednesday will be between D'Hanis and Hondo on College Square.

Miss Rhea Comeau came out from San Antonio Thursday and is the guest of Miss Dee Crow.

W. C. Horger was here from Charlotte this week, visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. T. Horger.

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"About five years ago my system got out of order and I went down in health until I was so weak I could hardly stand up. As for work, I was scarcely able to do anything. I had no appetite and what little I did eat seemed to do me no good, and I had headaches constantly. I was also troubled with a persistent cough, and it seemed that my old-time strength and energy were gone for good.

"But it didn't take Tanlac but a little while to straighten me out and I was soon full of new life and energy. Ever since then I've been praising Tanlac, and I'm glad to give this statement for what it may be worth to others. Tanlac is the best medicine I ever saw or heard of."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow; in Castroville by Joseph Courand & Co.; and in Dunlap by Louis A. Haby; and by all leading druggists.

Senior League Program.

Subject: "Thy Kingdom Come in Our Country."

Leader—Irene Hudspeth.

Scripture Matt. VI 7-15; Rom. IX 1-5.

Repeat in unison the Lord's Prayer.

Song, "I love thy King Iom, Lord."

Talk by leader.

Song.

Talk: "How we can help the King dom come in our Country—Lucile Newton.

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Farewell Party.

Miss Mary Isabel Crouch entertained a number of her friends Thursday evening with a farewell party in honor of Miss Ima Caruthers, who is leaving Friday for Poteet. The evening was spent in games and cracker eating contests. Refreshments of cakes and lemonade were served. At a late hour they bade good night, wishing Miss Ima success in her new home and school. Those who enjoyed the party were:

Preston Gaines, Ermon Taylor, Berlin Caruthers, Milton Schwerts, Reinhardt Rothe, "Buster" Schuske, Chaney King, Thomas Taylor, "Boots" Rath, Irene Haas, Ima Caruthers, Jerry Fusselman, Anne Davis, Roberta Hudspeth, Easter Caruthers, Mary Isabel Crouch, Rhoda Mae Taylor.

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SATURDAY, MAY 14, 1921.

(From The Juajilla Leaf.)

MISS BRUCKS HONORS SENIORS.

Miss Jo Brucks was hostess to the Senior Class Friday, May 6, at a theater party. The guests assembled at the home of the hostess at eight o'clock, and were then escorted to the "Star," where seats had been reserved. They were tastefully marked off with the class colors, gold and white.

After the show Miss Brucks led the guests to Parker's, where delightful refreshments of cream and cake were served. The party was then taken back home where they were entertained with many piano selections by Mrs. G. T. Newton and the girls of the Senior Class.

Between eleven and twelve the following bade Miss Brucks farewell, complimenting her as a hostess: Misses Gaines, Ernest, Green, Van Fleet, Newton, Leinweber; Mr. and Mrs. Newton; Messrs. Howell, Metzger and Windrow.

JUNIORS BID SENIORS FAREWELL.

Saturday, May 7, the Seniors were entertained by the Juniors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Fly. The reception room was tastefully decorated in blue and white, the High School colors, the parlor in gold and white, the Senior colors, and the dining room in the Junior colors, green and white.

The guests arrived between eight and nine o'clock, and after a short conversation and a few selections on the piano, games of "42" and Bunco were begun. Two immense bowls of punch stood in the green and white room throughout the evening.

Toward the close of the evening delectable refreshments of ice-cream, molded in roseshape, and Angel food cake were served. Artistic plate favors of miniature diplomas, tied with gold and white ribbon, and green "dunce caps" were placed near each guest.

Conversation and piano selections again reigned for an hour or so, and then the guests left wishing the Juniors much success. Those present were:

SENIORS—Lucille Newton, Sadie Ernest, Ethel Hutzler, Willa Mae Gaines, Erna Leinweber, Altha Van Fleet, Ruth Windrow, Milton Batot, Randolph Metzger, George Windrow.

JUNIORS—Clara Buss, Jessie Blocker, Loraine Heath, Inn King, Elizabeth Fly, Evelyn Wilson, V. H. Blocker, Earl Lacy, Henry Windrow.

GUESTS: Leonard John, Will Ernest, Tony Windrow, Marion Davis, Albert Hutzler, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Newton; Misses Black and Crawford, and Supt. J. D. Howell.

FISH AND SOPHS ON GOOD TERMS.

The banks of the Medina River were the scenes of frolic and fun when the Sophs and Fish picniced Saturday. Somewhat surprising that they could remain in peace with each other for a whole day, is it not?

The morning hours were spent in boat-riding, swimming, and in exploring the surrounding country. The last hour before noon was spent in hearty eating which all enjoyed immensely.

Immediately after dinner the fun continued. To much had been eaten to take a second plunge, so they motored to the "city" of Lacoste. On returning from the drive everyone prepared to take a dip in the river. In about an hour "kodak" was the king of the party.

The call for supper brought the bunch together again, and for a time kids were scrambling from every direction to the beautifully set cloth. When all were seated everyone dived in and came out more than satisfied.

The hour of six saw everyone preparing for the home trip. (The picnic was enjoyed especially by the Fish, because of the honor of going with such a crowd.)

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Many bad cases of kidney trouble result from a cold or chill. Congested kidneys fall behind in filtering the poison-laden blood and back ache, headache, dizziness and disordered kidney action follow. Don't neglect a cold. Use Doan's Kidney Pills at the first sign of kidney trouble. Follow this Hondo resident's example.

Mrs. Heyo Schueers gave the following statement May 28, 1915: "I had an attack of kidney trouble some years ago. My kidneys acted irregularly and caused me annoyance, and there were other ailments arising from disordered kidneys. I believe the trouble was brought on from a cold which settled in my kidneys. I purchased Doan's Kidney Pills at Windrow's Drug Store and just a short use corrected the trouble which has never returned."

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Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Schueers had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgs., Buffalo, N. Y.

SEVENTH GRADE PICNICS

About eight-thirty last Saturday morning the seventh grade assembled on College Square, prepared for a picnic. They left in five cars for Eagle's Bluff, on Poerner's ranch. The first two diversions were swimming, and climbing the bluffs. Noon soon came and everyone crowded around the cloth very hungry. After satisfying their appetites, much enjoyment was obtained by playing on the sandy beach. The water claimed the majority of the class about three o'clock, and then, after eating a light lunch, they packed up and left the pleasant grounds for home.

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A bad sprain heals slowly if not treated with a remedy that has the power to penetrate the flesh. Ballard's Snow Liniment is especially adapted for such ailments. Three sizes, 30c, 60c and \$1.20 per bottle. Sold by W. H. Windrow.

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You can't get the best of some men—they haven't any.

Be careful; that's the next best thing to being good.

Brothers cannot see much that is romantic in each other.

Suppression of crime waves should begin at the age of five.

It is true the day of miracles is past—except among inventors.

Trouble is something that generally visits us without warning.

Chronic kickers soon develop a whale that won't wear off.

Poetry of love is transformed into prose at the paeognic stage.

A kiss on the cheek may not be as cheeky as a kiss on the lips.

The average man doesn't add any dignity to the office he fills.

Many a woman who looks like an angel forgets to act like one.

If it is a "rare treat" it shows a limited descriptive vocabulary.

Cupid has enslaved thousands, but refuses to be enslaved himself.

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, MAY 12, 1921

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

DIED — Mrs. Lina Beck, nee Stein, for many years a resident of Haby Settlement, but lately of San Antonio, died at her home there on Saturday. The corpse was brought to Castroville Sunday afternoon and laid to rest at St. Louis Cemetery, Rev. Father Heckmann performing the last sad rites. Deceased was happily married to Joseph Beck, who preceded her in death many years ago.

A grand Pentecost Dance will be given at the Empire Opera House at Castroville Monday night, May 16. Willet's 4-piece Orchestra will furnish the music. Everybody cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Trawalter and children of San Antonio were here Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Kreisle, son Emmett, and grandson, Milton Tondre, of San Antonio, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Beck here San Antonio, and Alfred of Houston, and one daughter, Mrs. Minnie Urbaneck of San Antonio. Besides these she is survived by a number of grandchildren and many other near and dear relatives to mourn her loss.

A large concourse of mourning relatives and friends followed the remains to their last resting place. We join in sympathy with the bereaved and griezstricken ones. R. I. P.

Quite a number of our denizens left for San Antonio Monday morning to witness the horse races, but the same did not come off owing to the rain.

The Castroville Kids Ball Team gave the Hondo Juniors a shut-out in a fast game played on the Houston Square, in which the Castroville Kids were victorious. The score was 15 to 5 in favor of the Castroville Kids.

The Hondo 5th and 6th grade school children, chaperoned by some of their mothers and teachers, of Hondo, enjoyed a picnic at the Courand Mill here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wurzbach entertained with a dinner in honor of their daughter, Miss Renada, last Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. John Stricker, Miss Stella and Master Johnnie, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Stinson, Mr. and Mrs. Rud. Wurzbach and son, Willie, Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Wurzbach and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Wurzbach and family, Rev. and Mrs. Walter Kralik and family, Mrs. M. Fuos and daughter, Miss Emma, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fuos.

Miss Cecilia Droitcourt was taken to San Antonio for treatment and will undergo an operation. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Adam Droitcourt and daughter, Miss Olga, are in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jungman of Macdona were here Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Ridge of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, spent several days here visiting Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Fitzsimon,

Elbert de Montel was here Saturday from Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schott and daughters, Miss Selinus and Clara, and Cornelius and Oscar Schott of Riomedina were here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Opelt and Baby Virginia of Noonan were shopping here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schott of Bader Settlement were visitors here during the week.

John and Oscar Droitcourt were San Antonio visitors during the week.

Miss Annie Haby of Red Wing was a visitor here Sunday.

Rev. Walter Kralik was a San Antonio business visitor Monday.

EDITORIALS By THE EDITOR.

"Monday morning, fair or bleak,
Holds the key to all the week."

THE successful musician must catch and hold the right key. This done, it is an easy task to pour forth melody that will soothe and charm. Just so, if we keep ourselves attuned to the harmonies of right thought and right conduct, we may, in the language of the poet, "make life and that vast forever one grand, sweet song."

WHAT this country needs above all of the many and sundry things needed to restore normalcy and put us back on a safe and sane basis of living is an honest day's work—the giving to society a service commensurate with what you expect by way of compensation. It used to be that men scorned to accept what they had not earned and prided themselves in what they had done, in the results they had achieved and not in how much they had received. Then merit won and efficiency was at its maximum. Not so in these degenerate times! The "golden" rule of too many people now-a-days is "Get all you can for as little service as you can possibly give." The consequence is, efficiency is at a low ebb, production lags and living costs soar. This refers not alone to the clock-watching day laborer. He and the short-weight merchant, the losing general manager, the confidence-game artist, and all of like ilk, are in the same class of moral derelicts. What is needed is a revival in good old fashioned honesty, and a separation of the goats of inefficiency and time killing from the sheep of cheerful endeavors and efficient servers. Then indeed will peace and plenty bless the land in abundance.

To those who expected a washing of the hands of this country from the filthy affairs of land-thieving, murdering Europe, as a consequence of the repudiation of Wilsonian meddling by the voters at last fall's election, the announcement must come with sickening disappointment that, through the manipulation of Lloyd George, England's turner of dirty diplomatic tricks, and Charles E. Hughes, Wall Street's man Friday in Harding's cabinet, this country is to send a representative to Europe to "slip into the League of Nations Council through the back door," so to speak. From Wilson's servile subserviency to England the people turned to Harding in the belief that he was sincere in his protestation of an American policy of America for Americans, only to awaken too late to a realization that their confidence has been misplaced. Some powerful, unseen force, emanating from somewhere, somehow still pulls the strings and the manikins at Washington still dance. If the cover could be lifted and the sinister influences be exposed that can transform a whining, whispering pacifist like Wilson—"too proud to fight"—into the blood-eyed, "force-to-the-utmost" beast of war and murder, and change the dignified, positive American statesman, Harding, into the plant tool of Lloyd George, we opine there would be an awakening of some considerable magnitude in this erstwhile slumbering land!

SECRETARY OF COMMERCE, Herbert C. Hoover, is authority for the statement that while it costs 30 cents per bushel to ship grain by rail from Missouri to New York the same amount can be shipped by water from Argentina, South America, for ten cents. Manifestly the Central Western wheat farmer can not compete for the Atlantic seaboard trade with his South American competitor in the face of such a difference in transportation costs. Mr. Hoover says that the effect of these high rates will soon be to move our granaries to foreign shores and make this country dependent upon over-seas countries for our food supplies. And there is no doubt but what his conclusion is correct. What is true of wheat is, likewise, doubtless true of meat and hides from South America, wool from Australia, peanuts, rice and eggs from the Orient, and everything else that the rest of the world has to sell to America. A statement recently issued from the poultry experiment station of Missouri says that eggs can be bought in the principal markets of China at the equivalent of six cents of United States money. Transportation for the enormous distance from there to New York is only 4½ cents per dozen, whereas it costs 4½ cents per dozen to transport them by freight from Missouri to New York and 6½ cents by express under refrigeration. There must be a correction of these inequalities, or, as Mr. Hoover says, we will soon have to write our agricultural geography over. A prohibitive tariff, by forcing the consumer to pay extortionate prices, may bolster up these enterprises temporarily, and the administration at Washington is committed to such a policy. But permanent relief can only come through reduced transportation charges. Reduced transportation charges can come only

Fletcherized Farm Facts BY FLETCHER DAVIS

In times of abundant supply, slow demand and draggy markets, one should be especially careful of the quality of the products they put on the market. Nothing save that which will secure and maintain the confidence of the buying public in the maturity and soundness of the product should be offered for sale at such time.

Because of the usual strong demand and liberal prices for the first of any crop to go to market; and because of the almost invariable slump in price as soon as the bulk of the harvest begins to move into the channels of trade, there is a very natural desire and strong effort to reach the market early. This is usually the profitable thing to do. But it is unwise to let this desire cause us to rush something immature and improperly prepared upon the market.

As a case in point, we were told during our career as a Field Agent in the employment of the Farmer's Institute Division of the State Department of Agriculture, of a community that, in its rush one season to be the first on the market with new crop oats, shipped several cars while they were too green. In their hurry and impatience they had not given the crop time to mature. The consequence was that the cars arrived at destination with the oats badly heated and moldy, the consignees refused to receive them, and the shippers not only lost the product but had a "freight kick-back" besides.

Nor was that all the loss that a few more days' time for the crop to reach a greater stage of maturity would have prevented. The market having suffered from oats of poor quality from that section in the beginning of the season, the buyers were slow to purchase there so long as they could supply their needs elsewhere. The consequence was that the shippers from that section lost many times more than the premium could have possibly been on the few earlier cars had they been of ever so good quality. The confidence of the buyers had been shaken, the market was accordingly demoralized and the entire body of shippers suffered the evil consequences. In snatching at the shadows of early premiums they lost the substance of a steady, substantial market for the season.

But the advantage that accrues to those growers situated in the southernmost area of the country's vast small-grain belt through the earlier maturity of their crops is not to be ignored. If the first shipments of any new crop that go to market do not command a premium,—though they generally do—so long as it is the habit of the American farmer to dump the bulk of his harvest on the market immediately, a slump is inevitable as the bulk of the crop begins to move. Therefore, if an early sale is, necessarily, other things being equal, the earlier to market the better. But climatic conditions which give this advantage should be allowed to govern; it is unsafe to force immature oats on the market.

Oat farming affords numerous opportunities for community or neighborhood co-operation. Threshing time affords two. The old fashioned, neighborly way of "swapping work" will enable every man to work in the place he is best fitted to work in harvest field and in thresher crew, makes for better and steadier team work, and will hasten the harvest work for the entire community. And the other, which should be done in advance preparation for the harvest season, is the pooling of the purchase of grain bags. By pooling their needs and buying in car lots a very substantial saving in the cost of bags can be made. In times of high production costs and low selling price, every factor, that will contribute to a widening of the difference between these two items, is deserving of the most thoughtful consideration.

One of the best allies the bear speculators, who fatten on the farmers' oat crop in a financial way, has is the farmer's lack of facilities for taking care of his oats after they are threshed. Knowing that his crop is spread out on the ground, unprotected and deteriorating with each varying change of the weather, the buyer figures rightly that the farmer is compelled to sell or take a risk he

does not wish to carry. According to he takes advantage of this fact to buy them at the lowest possible figure. The best ally the farmer can have in the effort to get cost of production and a reasonable profit for his crop is a good granary where his crop can be safely stored and kept in a good sound, merchantable condition until he is ready to sell. These are fundamental factors; they can neither be denied or escaped. The effort to defy them is costing the farmers millions of dollars every year.

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One of the most inexcusable wastes on the grain farm is the allowing of the land to lie idle after the crop has been harvested. Both for the sake of the crop it will yield and for the sake of maintaining soil fertility, whenever moisture conditions will permit, the grain stubble should be planted to some legume crop. Their deeper tap roots will penetrate the subsoil to a greater depth than the roots of the grain, thereby rendering the subsoil more open and permeable to the delicate roots of less vigorous rooted plants, supply the soil with valuable stores of humus and atmospheric nitrogen, secured through the nodules on their roots, and render available for the needs of future crops vast quantities of the mineral plant foods of the soil. Do not let your grain stubble load; plant it to some legume crop suitable to your soil and climate.

Kelly Field-McDona base team crossed bats here Sunday with the Tigers. The score 16 to 5 in favor of Kelly Field-McDona.

Ed Bohman and John P. Simon were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Henry V. Haass, Jr., little sons, Ralph and Homer Leroy, returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, in Hondo.

Joe Steinle and family were here from Dunlay Sunday.

Mrs. Brown and daughter Miss Pearl, and Mr. and Edgar Brown of Devine, Sunday here with Mr. C. Brown and family.

We are glad to report that infant of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Katz is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naelein son and Miss Florence Man were Alamo City visitors Tuesday.

Julius Jungman is laid up a sprained knee this which was hurt by playing ball.

THE "OLD RELIABLE" THEDFORD'S BLACK-DRAUGHT

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Boy's Information Might Have Been Conveyed in More Intelligent Manner, However.

A boy, apparently very much agitated, rushed into a house and said to the lady:

"I don't want to alarm you, but I've got big news to tell you. The man sent me up from the livery stables to tell you—"

"Yes, yes! What is it?"

"Why, you know, your little boy, Aleck, what the man can't keep out of the livery stables round the corner?"

"Yes, yes! Well?"

"I told Aleck just now not to go into the stables among the horses, but he wouldn't mind me."

"Oh, dear! What has happened?"

"He said he wanted to see what a man would do when you tickled its heels with a straw."

"Oh, dear, dear!" gasped the lady, and clung to the chair for support.

"So Aleck got a straw," continued her informant, "crept up behind the mare, tickled him on the heels, and—"

The woman started for the door.

"And the sleepy old mare never lifted a hoof," called the visitor. "Never as much as switched its tail!"

Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

GHOSTLY LOVERS ON WATCH

Legend of the City of Mexico That Makes Peculiar Appeal to Superstitious Residents.

One of the strange legends of the City of Mexico has to do with the Calle de los Pardos (Street of the Two Killers). According to the story there was a beautiful girl, Dona Maria Ysabel de Vallejo y Vezca, who lived on the street and was beloved by two men, one a young officer and the other a young merchant. After the custom of the land at that period (about 1650) they indicated their love by standing one at each corner of the block, until the doors appeared.

A plague fell upon the city about this time and the girl died without it becoming known to her lovers. She was taken out and buried by night, also unbeknown to the suitors. The next day they stood at their respective posts waiting in vain. The day after they stood and the day after that, week after week, month after month and year after year. They at last died, still on their posts, and their ghosts are said to still stand at night, cloaked and ghastly, in the darkest shadows of the streets.

Movie Tricks.

In some photoplay fire scenes the buildings are actually burned down, and sometimes small models are burned. Usually a convincing illusion is created by placing chemical preparations, known as "smoke pots," in concealed places in the building. Then by staining the film red the illusion is almost perfect.

Movies make it easy for bricks to form themselves into walls. Here is how it is done: First a brick wall is photographed. A man hidden behind the wall pulls down a brick at a time and throws it into a pile in front of the wall. Each time he does it is photographed. The film is reversed when it is shown, so that the last picture appears first.—Brooklyn Eagle.

Evidently Was Indisposed.

Alfred was a boxer and his father was very anxious to learn the result of his son's first fight. He made the boy promise that a wire should reach him as soon as the contest was over.

"You won't disappoint me, Alfred?" he said.

"No, I promise," replied Alfred, and scolded forth to the fray.

The father waited impatiently until the telegraph boy appeared at last.

Eagerly he seized the envelope and tore it open.

It was signed "Bill Bruiser," and said:

"Alfred would wire if he could. But he can't."—London Ideas.

He Could Help Her Out.

A certain prominent movie star is a cautious person. She had to have a taxi cab one night last week to get to the theater in time for the show, and remembering the old saying, "An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure," she said to the driver:

"I have only 60 cents in my purse; those pearls about my neck are imitation and I have no other valuables. Little theater, please?"

The taxi man regarded her sympathetically a moment. "Listen, lady," he said, "if you need a dollar I kin loan youse one."—New York Sun.

Hotels Shy of "13."

There are only two hotels in New York that have rooms numbered with 13. This is in deference to superstition. Many of the tall hotels omit the thirteenth floor. A tenant, whose apartment was numbered 13, scratched the number off his door as often as the landlord painted it on. When he was ordered evicted he said to the judge: "There, I told you that number was unlucky."

Unique.

"Yes, sir, we are proud of this eleventh district. Why?"

"Oh, sure, I know! You have the oldest voter in the country, who has never failed to cast his ballot at any election since 1824, and who—"

"Not at all! Our district is unique and notable as being the only one in the nation which does not contain that mythical veteran."

CAUGHT ON THE FLY

A good server is a good server.

Your setbacks should set your teeth.

Don't borrow trouble—borrow cash.

As that breed in the mud are not cels.

Keep sweet is no advice for a grapefruit.

It's the after effects of experience that count.

The ferret is a domestic variety of the polecat.

There are seven varieties of the African lion.

It is easy to be generous of another man's money.

Many a small boy grows up to be a little big man.

The Mafia originated in Sicily in the middle ages.

Most of a man's hero worship is wasted on himself.

Most people endure winter and some pretend they like it.

Bossy people are permitted to take all the responsibility.

Perpetual motion seems to be a fallacy from the word go.

All the world's a stage and the barren is given many parts.

Flower collected by bees from certain plants is poisonous.

Education begins a gentleman, conversation completes him.

It is easier to bear what's amiss than to shout to reform it.

The Nubian tribes of Africa are passionately fond of music.

Scotland Yard has on record about 340,000 sets of finger prints.

We all like a silent man if he will unblossom himself to us only.

A white egg often comes from a black hen.—German Proverb.

A steady income of \$3,000 a year is the biggest toe of opportunity.

Two male humming birds rarely meet without a contest ensuing.

Virginia has more than a quarter of a million wage-earning women.

You may feed a man brain food, but you cannot supply the brains.

A man must eat though every tree were a gallow.—Dutch Proverb.

Distant relatives seldom attend the funeral of a man who dies poor.

Canals of a total of more than 3,000 miles are in use in England.

Cypress and walnut, when used in contact, cause each other to rot.

Leave off all satisfactions is reflecting on how foolish people can be.

Character is a diamond that scratches every other stone.—Bartol.

When a man goes at things head first he often gets there with both feet.

Happiness that is gone after with the new set turns out to be something of a joke.

A popular photographer is one who can make a woman feel satisfied with her face.

Freedom of speech has enabled many a man to give it to himself in the neck.

Considerable money must go into some friendships in order to make them last.

Weigh some heavy people and they will be found wanting in everything but weight.

It is estimated that nine-tenths of the coasts of the world are covered with sand.

It takes a good deal of grief to kill a woman after she has acquired a diamond necklace.

Bratwurst sizzles the most deeply those whose vanity makes of thanks the chief reward.

He that is conscious of crime, however bold by nature, becomes a coward.—Menander.

Did you ever notice what a lot of friends you haven't got when you happen to need them?

Uncle Ab says: If you have a grouch, hold it till after the next meal; feeding may tame it.

A man's proudest and rarest possession is an old photograph in which he looks intelligent.

The man who is always telling you that the coat doesn't make the man is not in the tailoring business.

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MEN WEAR BENEDICT RINGS

According to New York Jeweler, the Custom Has Become Common, at Least in That City.

"There is certainly a grave misapprehension concerning men's wedding rings which I think should be cleared up at once," said a Broadway jeweler, according to the New York Sun. "I have found that people have a feeling that unless a man wears a wedding ring fashioned something like that worn by the woman, then something is wrong. In fact, I have learned that most people do not even know a man is married when he wears any kind of ring other than a wedding ring on his fourth finger, left hand.

"But that's a fact. Where the types of rings worn by brides are somewhat similar a man may wear anything from a signet to a real wedding ring on his left hand and still be in perfect propriety. As a matter of fact, most men dislike the plain wedding ring and prefer something like a signet. Brides aren't letting their husbands off without equality in rings as much as anything else nowadays and the bridegrooms are wearing all kinds to satisfy their wives' desire in the matter."

TO GET MASTERY OF GLOOM

Rainy Sunday Should Be Made Occasion for Improvement of the Mind by Reading.

Arizona Poet, However, Strikes Different Note From That Struck by the Great Persian.

Omar Khayyam said that he could dine on a loaf of bread and a jug of wine; with Her beside him and feel content in the wilderness—but he only meant that he liked the desert and his old tin Lizzie, and the crooked roads that make you dizzy, that start any place and lead nowhere, and just keep going and never care. He liked the mesquite and the greasewood smell and the long hot days that feel like hell; the red sunsets and the cool moonlight and the soft, sweet air of the desert night—for Omar Khayyam was a wonderful man, who lived his life on an easy plan, with his girls and his wine and a big silk tent—My, oh, my! What a life he spent. * * * The desert is here like it always was—but you can't Khayyam any more, becuz—in these dry days when even home brew is on the list of the things taboo, old Omar Khayyam and his jug of juice would soon get locked in the calaboose.—Salome (Ariz.) Sun.

A Symptom of Senility.

"Uncle Dunk is getting along in years," regretfully said a resident of the Ozarks.

"Es-yah!" replied an acquaintance.

"He's some'r about eighty-one, ain't he?"

"Yes, and I skurkely ever seed a man so old for his yars as he pears to be of life. He rid into the county seat with me tudder day. We got there about 9 o'clock, and before 5:30 he came around whur I was talking swap with some fellers, and lowed that as he didn't know nobody in town skurkely and hadn't any business there, no-way, and nuth'n' had-happened of an interest so far and didn't 'peer likely to, he was just about ready to go home. Uncle Dunk is feeling his age powerful."—Kansas City Star.

Abandoning Totem Poles.

Alaska is losing its totem poles. Because of the gradual decline in observance of native customs, totem poles are no longer erected, and the elements are wearing down those remaining.

The largest collection of totems in the North, it is said, is to be found in the abandoned Indian village of Old Kassan, 25 miles from Ketchikan. The village was deserted several years ago, after a disastrous fire, the natives moving to New Kassan.

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"Oh, ma!" ventured Hercules, the youngster. "Don't you want the backyard swept out?"

"No, that can wait until this evening."

"Hadn't I better stay at home and do some work in the garden?"

"No, it looks like rain today."

"Don't you want me to clean out the paper cupboard?"

"No, you can do that on Saturday."

"But, mother, isn't there anything that I can do today?"

"Yes, you can go to school, and be quick about it, too."

One Just as Good.

A Scottish woman had had much trouble with her gardeners. She could not find one who was capable of keeping sober.

She appealed to her brother, who promised to do his best to help her. At last he announced that he had found just the man she needed.

"I'll only ask ye one question, James," said his sister. "Is he a teetotaler?"

"Weel," said James, deliberately,

"he no just what ye'd ca' a teetotaler, but he's a morn ye canna fill."—Edinburgh Scotsman.

Church Exclusively for Children.

The Czech-Slovak residents of New York city have established a church exclusively for children. Only those under fifteen years of age are admitted, and every Sunday the services are attended by nearly 300 child worshippers. The only adults present at the Sunday service are the pastor and the organist.

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An ancestor-bragging contest is the most relentless.

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Thrilling as a tale of knight errantry, yet redolent of the country, and sweet as a breath from meadow land.

A New Serial for These Columns!!

Who brings sunshine into the life of another has sunshine in his own.—David Starr Jordan.

Let your face be as good as a promissory note. Takes a lot of right living, but it is worth it.

It is not easy to convince the neighbors that a man gets a political job because he deserves it